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PETITION UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a) and RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION

Applicants hereby petition the Assistant Commissioner to grant a one month extension of time, up to and including Tuesday, May 31, 2005 (May 28, 2005, being a Saturday, and Monday, May 30, 2005 being a l'ederal Holiday), in which to respond to the Office Action dated January 28, 2005 in the above-identified application. The extension fee may be charged to deposit account No. 50-1047. In addition, any deficiencies may be charged to deposit account No. 50-1047.

In response to the Office Action dated January 28, 2005, the period therefore having been extended by a Petition therefore and payment of the extension fee, kindly consider the following remarks.

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